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FOR SALE.—First-class Building Lots on Spring Ridge, 134½ feet by 45 feet, all clear, $350 each; $50 down and balance by instalments. Apply to W. H. MASON, 5 Trounce alley. sep16-1w

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SPECIAL.

MRS. MACK—Ladies' nurse after confinement. Address, No. 39 Chatham street. aug9-tf

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[Colonist copy.] sep7-1m

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BEACON HILL PARK.

The Great Natural Beauties of the Place to be Enhanced by Art.

What is Being Accomplished—Drives, Walks, Lakes and Flowers.

A wide diversity of opinion exists as to which are the most beautiful, the works of nature or the works of art. It has never seemed to the writer that the subject was one which admitted of debate. The landscape of the painter is beautiful. We say, how startlingly perfect! Nature reproduced! But something is wanting. What? The blinking leaves, the sunlight, the roar of the blast, animation. Perhaps the last word covers the whole ground, animation. The statue may be beautiful, idealise the original; but after all it is only cold marble. Our admiration is derived chiefly from the contemplation of the skill of the sculptor. But the secret of the beauty of nature outside of the fact that it lives, is in diversity. Nature is uniform, but her variations simply defy enumeration. There may be persons who love a particular rock, glen, tree, valley or mountain, river or rivulet, but

THE TRUE LOVER OF NATURE

does not confine his admiration to these isolated instances. He prefers to see nature in the aggregate, and hence in the formation of parks the central idea is to present nature in all her variated and multifarious forms. In this respect Beacon Hill Park offers superior advantages. Nature has indeed done considerable for Beacon Hill in the way of a marine view and a glimpse of snow clad mountains, but in so far as embodying within its compass any great diversity of landscape, nature has provided as prodigally for any other 250 acres on Vancouver Island. Last fall the Park in the vicinity of Fountain Lake was a jungle and not a very picturesque one at that, while its back ground, Marvin Hill, was a picture of arid desolation. All there was to recommend Beacon Hill Park last fall was the marine prospect it afforded and the drive. It was a park simply because it was the only point contiguous to Victoria where people could rendezvous and not be liable to trespass. Later an effort was made to invest the park with a scenic value peculiarly its own, to make the value local so to speak.

THE OLYMPIAN MOUNTAINS

were a fine sight, but it was desirable to possess picturesque features closer home. The jungle accordingly was cleared of brush, the pruning knife put to work and the trees trimmed. Unsightly stumps were cleared away, rustic benches and bridges were constructed, and an artificial lake and a small zoo were added to the attractions. Thus far, however, comparatively speaking, only the first sod had been turned. Outside of the immediate vicinity of Fountain Lake, the park was literally as nature left it, deformed by barren rock, uncouth, presenting a monotonous similarity. The next question, therefore, was how to combine within the compass of the park the diversity of scene which characterizes nature, and at the same time keep in harmony with the surroundings. A park without variety was not a park, but a field merely; the attractions were soon exhausted, the eye tired of a sight where nature was neither at her worst nor at her best. The next step consequently was to supply artificially what nature had failed to furnish. The skilled experience of Mr. Blair was secured, and a plan elaborated which combined the works of nature in all her multifarious forms. The first step toward this consummation was another artificial lake, with the necessary

DRIVE WAYS AND FOOT PATHS.

We regard the idea of the lake as eminently in consonance with the topography of the surroundings, and inasmuch as the *debris* furnished by the excavation would serve to furnish soil where soil was needed for shrubs and tree planting, the forming of the lake had its practical advantages. When Victoria lake, as the lake will be called, shall have been completed, a body of water three and a half acres in extent will intervene between the grove and Merrio's Hill. Singularly appropriate is this lake in the depression between the hill and the grove, a reproduction in miniature of the scenery which is the striking characteristic of Vancouver Island. When Marvin's Hill shall have been studded with shrubbery and trees, it would be difficult to conceive of a scene more picturesque. Passing on to the other features of the park as laid down in the diagram, we discover it to be the intention of Mr. Blair to form another lake on the northern boundary of the park. This will be

DOUGLAS LAKE,

and its area will be about five acres. This lake will lie parallel to Cook street, and will be in plain view of the present entrance to the park by Park avenue. The lake, however, will be more directly approached by an avenue not yet named (presumably Haywood avenue, as that gentleman proposes to embellish it with trees) which will intersect with Walnut avenue (the trees to be furnished by Mr. Heywood also) which latter avenue will intersect with the driveway around the lake. It is hardly necessary for us to interject that foot paths will run parallel with the avenues just mentioned, as it will be observed that the park from the north as well as from the south side will be approached by ways as convenient to pedestrians as to vehicles. This lake in the midst of the tall trees which distinguish the eastern side of the park, will prove a most attractive feature. Skiffs will be allowed to ply on it, and aquatic-minded people will here most resort. Nor need people who are timid of water in a larger volume than affords 1 by the bath-tub be at all shy of a sail on its placid waters. The lake will not be deep. The young man who capsizes with his fair Dulcina can take her in his strong arms and wade to land. Just

NORTH OF THE PRESENT DRIVEWAY

around Beacon Hill proper, and about midway between Fountain and Douglas lakes, Lily pond will be situated, while in a direct line from here, almost due north, the visitor will discover the terrace and the conservatory. We have now passed in review the salient features of the park, all of which will be approached by drives and foot paths. As to the drive to the summit of Beacon Hill, we regard this desirable from two points of view. First, because it is desirable that drives as well as foot paths should attain the highest eminence afforded by the park, and secondly, by having a roadway teams will necessarily follow it, and thus in nowise interfere with pedestrians who occupy the hillside. As the park is at present, except in the vicinity of Fountain lake, teams may drive over it promiscuously. When the roadways are completed teams must necessarily confine themselves to them, and children and pedestrians will really have more space, which they can call their own, than under the old conditions. The

CRITICISM OF THE "COLONIST"

in respect to the quiet privileges of visitors, and all that sort of thing, is particularly stupid. The works of improvement now going on necessarily give rise to the idea that there are more roads and foot paths being built than is necessary. It will be discovered, however, so soon as the work is completed, that such is not the case. There will be plenty of room for pedestrians, and the park at the same time will be attractive as a drive. It is just as well for those who are finical to bear in mind that Beacon Hill Park covers an area of 250 acres, and that it is scarcely probable that so much of this will be occupied by drives as to cause pedestrians any inconvenience. Besides, it must be borne in mind that a park without commodious drives would be an anomaly. In fact, whoever heard of a park without drives. The idea of a park is to make it available for every variety of locomotion, whether riding or walking. As for the dust supposed to be raised by passing vehicles, that is the bugbear of a moseback. When the park is completed dust will be unknown. The climate of this locality is not favorable to dust in the first place, and in the second place during dry weather, the drive ways and paths should be sprinkled anyhow. And this brings us to another phase of the matter, over which the morning paper and its correspondents show some signs of getting hysterical. We allude to

THE CUTTING DOWN OF THE TREES.

No trees thus far have been cut down except those which were dead and unsightly. But, by what authority does the *Colonist* protest against the "uprooting" of trees? Who is the doctor in this case? Who is most competent to prescribe in the matter of trees? Shall he with whom quill driving is a specialty presume to say to the man who has made landscape gardening a life-long study what trees shall be spared and what shall not? As a matter of fact, the trees are too thick in many places in the park and are dying in consequence. Furthermore, strictly speaking, this is not a sunshiny country, or allowing that it is, the sun's rays are seldom uncomfortably warm. It is notorious that in the vicinity of Fountain Lake the shade is so dense as to be positively chilly on the warmest days. People who visit Beacon Hill Park go there for air and sunshine, not for dampness and chill. However, no more trees will be uprooted than is absolutely necessary to preserve its site.

PROMOTE HEALTHY GROWTH.

Again, with reference to Supt. Blair. He is a man of almost national reputation as a landscape gardener. The Messrs. Meehan, of Germantown, Penn., write: "May we make a suggestion. You have among you a man whom we believe is perfectly competent to take charge of the park and who would take pride in the work. We refer to Mr. John Blair, who has had considerable experience in Illinois," etc. Besides this testimonial of professional capacity, Mr. Blair carries a souvenir of the period when he was employed by the city of Chicago in the laying out of Lincoln Park, of that metropolis, and where they never do things by halves. We have then in Mr. Blair a man who transcends criticism in respect to amateurs, mossbacks, and cranks. No man has a right to pass criticism on his work who has not had the advantage of experience in his (Mr. Blair's) line of work. It is not necessary for us, however, to enter upon a specific

VINDICATION OF MR. BLAIR.

To sum up, let every Victorian fervently hope that the park commissioners will not be induced to materially change the plan of the park as laid down in the diagram on account of carping criticism, journalistic or individual. The completion of the park according to the plans of Mr. Blair, is a consummation devoutly to be wished. The plans carried out in their entirety, Victoria will have a park second to none on the coast, and equalled by none in Canada. Beacon Hill in its natural stage is attractive but in the language of the Messrs. Meehan's it is susceptible of further improvement. Two years hence the present plans carried out, the park will present a marvel of landscape, admirably adapted to meet the wants of people whether from an æsthetic or practical point of view. The park commissioners are to be congratulated for their enterprise, Mr. Heywood for his liberality and Mr. Blair for the artistic ability he has displayed in utilizing the natural but crude features of nature to produce effects at once novel and picturesque.

THE TOURNAMENT.

Excitement Runs High and Ill-Feeling Crops Out.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Tacoma, Sept. 18.—Excitement runs high to-day and a misunderstanding over a trivial affair took place between a police officer and a member of the Astoria team. The captain of the Astoria team for a slight cause struck a young man named August Murray over the head with a mole. But these incidents are drowned in the excitement.

THE DRY TEST RACE.

The dry test race was run in the afternoon under the following conditions: Distance, 600 feet in all, 400 feet to hydrant, make tight coupling, lay 200 feet of hose, break tight coupling, screw on pipe fail three threads; cart to carry not less than 250 feet of hose; time to be taken when the pipe is on. First prize, $400; 2d, $200; 3d, $100. The running was done in the following order and with the following results: Corvallis, 36 2-5; Nanaimo, B. C., 38 1-5; Tacoma, No. 2, 34 2-5; Union, No. 1, Tacoma, 37 9-10; Walla Walla, no time; Seattle, no time; East Portland, 32 4-5; Victoria, B. C., 33 1-5; New Westminster, 34 2-5; Vancouver, 29 9-10; Astoria, 31 4-5; Old Town Tacoma, no time. As in the first race there is a dispute over the time of Astoria, and the decision of the judges has been appealed to the board of directors, and the awarding of prizes withheld. Vancouver, 1st; Astoria, Oregon, Victoria, 2nd; Tacoma, No. 2, and New Westminster, tie for third. Those who got no time were barred for following reasons: Walla Walla did not have the nozzle on the hose when attached to the hydrant. Seattle could not break the tight coupling owing to some fault of the same, and Old Tacoma for the same reason as Walla Walla.

COUNTY COURT JUDGES.

Messrs. Bole, Spinks and Cornwall to be Appointed.

Ottawa, Sept. 19.—I learn from the Minister of Justice that Bole, Q.C., will be appointed in a few days Judge of New Westminster; Spinks, of Yale; and Ex-Lieutenant Governor Cornwall of Cariboo. So far the order-in-council has not been passed but a minute of council to this effect has been made out.

FROM THE NORTH.

The Boscowitz Arrives with a Large Salmon Cargo.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz, Capt. Williams, arrived from the north late last night. The trip was made in ten days, during which time the weather was lovely, but little rain falling. In Queen Charlotte Sound the steamship Corona was passed, the sound being a sea of glass at the time.

The passengers brought down were, H Croft M.P.P., John Clayton of Bella Bella, Mrs. Cuthbert, Miss Stapleton, Miss Robinson, T. H. Robinson, R. Draney of the Rivers Inlet cannery, Geo. Williscroft, and Jos. A. Mahood.

The vessel's cargo comprised 3000 cases of salmon from the Wannock cannery, 1800 cases from the North Pacific Canning Company's cannery, 75 barrels of salt salmon from Jacobson's and 30 barrels from McDowell's. Fourteen hundred boxes for a local cracker factory were also brought down from Alert Bay.

EASTERN CANADA.

Assigned and Absconded—Quebec Officials on a Tour to Europe.

Meeting of the Anglican Synod—Cholera Brought to Quebec.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Montreal, Sept. 19.—Duncan Campbell & Son, importers of tailors' trimmings, assigned, with liabilities at $45,000, last week. The junior member of the firm absconded with $6,000 worth of forged papers in the banks.

POLITICS QUIET.

Lieut.-Gov. Royal arrived in the city from the northwest capital and will return west to-day. He says political matters are unusually quiet in the northwest at present. Extensive preparations are being made at Regina for the reception and entertainment of the governor-general.

SYNOD MEETING.

At the Synod of the Anglican church in Canada a discussion on the Jesuits question was resumed from last night, and a memorial from the Diocese of Ontario was referred to a committee. Hon G. W. Allan moved that the synod do petition the Dominion parliament at its next session to enact such laws as will secure the better observance of the Lord's Day in the Dominion.

CHOLERA QUARANTINED.

Quebec, Sept. 19.—The steamship Alberta, which arrived in this port from the high seas, landed at quarantine a passenger suffering from a severe attack of cholera. After having been thoroughly fumigated the Alberta was allowed to proceed to Montreal.

LABORERS COMING WEST.

Ottawa, Sept. 19.—The agent of the Regina Ranch Company left for British Columbia with twenty-six men and a large gang from Montreal to work on the C P R. at Donald making square timber and ties at an average of $22 a month and board. A large gang of brickmakers leave for the same place at the end of the month to receive $5 per day.

THE DEATH RATIO.

Ottawa, Sept. 19.—The mortuary statistics for August show the death ratio per thousand to be: Winnipeg, 2.26; Montreal, 3; Toronto, 1.55; St. Hyacinth, 4.20; Brockville, 9.

OFFICIALS FOR EUROPE.

Quebec, Sept. 19.—The object of the trip to Europe of Treasurer Sheban and Commissioner of Public Works Garneau is said to be for the conversion of the public debt. They leave on the 28th instant.

TWO CHILDREN BURNED.

Oakland, Md., Sept. 19.—Information has just reached here of the burning yesterday of the house of Mrs. A. E. Seubower, two and a half miles from Deer Park. Two children of Mrs. Seubower, aged two and six years, were burned to death. Mrs. Seubower was visiting the residence of her father at the time of the fire, and left the children at home.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Usual Weekly Grist of Routine Business Transacted.

At the regular meeting of the city council Wednesday night there were present His Worship Mayor Grant and Aldermen Vigelius, Wilson, Kelly, Goodacre, Harrison, McKillican and Coughlan.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From F. G. Richards, Jr., on behalf of the Victoria District Telegraph Co., asking for a conference with the council.

A special meeting was ordered for Monday evening, 23rd inst., to discuss matters pertaining to the company.

From Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, directing attention to the fact that nothing had been done to the drain on Humboldt street.

Ald. Harrison said that the council had no right to put in the drain, and in view of the sewer going through there he did not see how it could be done except at great expense.

Ald. Vigelius thought that Ald. Harrison labored under a mistake, and he would move that the communication be referred to the street committee with power to act. Carried.

From Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, on behalf of Mrs. McTavish, acknowledging a previous communication of the council, and asking that an arbitrator be appointed to assess damage done by the corporation to her land, fence, etc.

Ald. McKillican thought the council should act with discretion in this matter; it appeared like a trap, and the council would have to act in a decisive manner in order to prevent a multiplication of similar claims.

Mayor Grant thought the complainant could go into court and compel the council to appoint an arbitrator and that would be attended with considerable expense.

Ald. Harrison thought that no damage had been done to the property, and to appoint an arbitrator would be to admit that damage had been done.

Ald. Coughlan read section 193 of the by-law, showing that it made provision for the appointment of an arbitrator in such cases. He did not think that the street committee had entered on or injured Mrs. McTavish's property, and he would favor taking no action in the matter.

His Worship pointed out that section 93 might be construed against the council. The street committee had exercised its power to cut down an embankment near this property and it was possible that an encroachment of even an inch or two might have been made on the property. The council had better appoint their own arbitrator than have three appointed by the court.

Ald. Vigelius said the street committee were satisfied that no encroachment had been made in this or any other property and it was a dangerous precedent to appoint an arbitrator.

After some cross firing from a number of the aldermen, in which the majority favored paying no attention to the matter complained of, the communication was filed.

From C. S. Sharp, asking that water service be furnished Hill street, Work Estate. Referred to the water committee.

From Gilmore & McCandless, complaining that the Johnson street sewer was not completed, although the street had been blocked for three months; and stating that their business had been injured and that they would take legal steps to obtain redress at once.

Ald. Coughlan thought that it was time the council took some steps in this matter. There were a great many holes in the street, and he thought that if the contract had been completed in a reasonable time the people on that street would not have complained. He thought that there ought to be some person in the employ of the corporation who could throw some light on the vexed matter. He would ask the city engineer if he had a copy of the contract.

Ald. Kelly said that the sewerage committee were the proper parties to look after this. Messrs. Gilmore & McCandless were not the only parties complaining, and there would be suits for damages arising out of the non-completion of the work.

City Engineer Leech said that the contract required that the work be completed in five months. The contractor could open up 600 feet of the street at a time, but there was nothing to specify when he should close it.

Ald. Coughlan said, for the present it would appear that the city was at the mercy of the contractor, but in the meantime it would be well to look up the matter and see if there were not other means that could be taken to compel the contractor to remedy the existing state of things.

Ald. McKillican remarked that the present condition of Johnson street, where the sewer was being constructed, was disgraceful, and he thought the communication should be laid on the table and discussed at the special meeting on Monday evening.

On motion the communication was laid on the table.

From H. C. Clark asking for water from the city for the purpose of extinguishing a coal fire. Referred to the water committee.

From P. E. Irving, Adjutant B. C. B. G. A., requesting the attendance of the Mayor and council at the annual artillery competition at Esquimalt Point, on Friday next. The invitation was accepted with thanks.

From W. M. Chudley, asking that the finance committee of the council report as to the grant of $1,000 made by the council to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, and also asking that the amount be paid into the Bank of British Columbia not later than Wednesday next.

Ald. Coughlan said that the hospital committee had engaged to give the city a portion of the land near the hospital for street purposes. This had not been done.

His Worship said the hospital trustees had not the power to give the land to any person or corporation. It would be sold to the highest bidder. He thought the city should have some outlet in that vicinity.

Ald. McKillican moved that Mr. Chudley be notified that, if the hospital trustees would sell a strip of land 20 feet wide along the north side of the hospital property and running the entire length of such property, the city would pay $1000 for it. Carried.

From Edward Mallandaine protesting against the "improvements" now being made, at Beacon Hill Park, and suggesting that the work be suspended until a deputation of prominent citizens could meet the council and discuss all matters belonging to or in anyway appertaining to the beautifying of the Park. Referred.

THE AUDITOR'S REPORT.

From Jas. L. Raymur city auditor enclosing financial statement for the quarter ending Aug. 31st. Received and filed.

A NEW STREET.

From Hon. John Robson Provincial Secretary stating that the school trustees have no objection to the city opening a new street across the school reserve, provided that the corporation undertake all fencing and protect the grounds by gates. The government would undertake the necessary legislation to provide for such improvements.

Ald. Coughlan and McKillican thought the work should be begun as soon as possible, and without having to wait for legislation.

The clerk was requested to inform Hon. Mr. Robson that the conditions of the government would be complied with.

PETITIONS.

From a number of property owners of Spring Ridge pointing out the necessity of completing North street to Chambers street and asking for the removal of the city pound as it covered the street. Received and referred to the street committee and the city surveyor to report.

From Tye Soong and 12 others complaining of the action of the city surveyor in removing planks over the drain on Cormorant street, thereby hindering traffic.

Ald Harrison said the removal of the planks was absolutely necessary. The drain had been flushed and the planks replaced. A box drain should be placed there.

His Worship thought, perhaps the petitioners objected to the removal of the filth. Referred to the sanitary committee.

TENDERS.

Tenders for rock blasting on Yates street were read from the following persons: Geo Lyle, $2.45½ cts. per yard; George McDonald, $2 per yard; John Haggerty, $2 per yard.

As no check accompanied Mr. Haggerty's tender as required, the contract was awarded to George McDonald.

Ald. McKillican suggested that a limit of six weeks be made for the completion of the work.

His Worship said that in future it would be well to place a time limit in all contracts of this kind.

For the culvert in Second street, Elford & Smith's tender was accepted as Mr. Humber's tender lacked the necessary accompaniment—a certified check.

Ald. McKillican moved that the city barrister be requested to prepare a clause empowering the corporation to take over the work of any contractor and complete it at his expense, provided it should be found necessary in any case. The motion carried.

STREET COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The street committee recommended that tenders be called for blasting rock on Ontario street; the gravelling of Third street and improvements on Michigan street, and that a box drain be laid from Cormorant to Store street.

His Worship thought that the street committee persistently forgot Fort street and in the report he heard nothing of Yates street.

Ald. Vigelius said Fort street would soon be torn up by the Tramway Co., and it had not been forgotten. Report adopted.

Ald Kelly enquired what progress had been made on the sewerage by-law.

Ald. Coughlan said he understood that some new arrangement had been made with Mr. Pickering in regard to his claim of five per cent. on the construction price of the sewerage system, before the minutes of the special meeting had been confirmed. He would like to enquire as to the legality of such action.

His Worship thought that the action was legal and the object of giving notice was simply that every one could appear to or demur from the matter proposed. Ample notice had been given and the matter had been before the council for a long time.

Ald. Wilson enquired, what had been done about the electric tramway poles. The poles were not peeled and were not square to the telephone poles.

Ald. Coughlan said the poles would be painted as soon as they were erected. They could not be painted before.

His Worship referred to the proposed visit of Lord Stanley and asked the members of the council to meet him at the City Hall, at 4 o'clock to day to take action.

Ald. Coughlan asked that the vote on the adoption of the sewerage committee's report at the special meeting held for that purpose, be recorded on the minutes as it stood at that time. Ald. Harrison had stated that he would vote for the adoption of the report of Mr. Pickering if certain concessions were made and he had not done so.

Ald. Harrison said that he did not vote for or against the report at the time, but he would do so now both in the council and out of it.

Council adjourned at 10 o'clock.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

Opening of the Dry Dock at Portsmouth—Two Children Burned.

Shocks of Earthquake—The Odd Fellows—Nine Men Drowned.

Special to THE TIMES.]

New York, Sept. 19.—Wm. J. Kenny, political reporter of the *Times*, and former city editor of the *Journal and Press*, to-day was appointed supervisor of the city record in place of W. J. McLoughlin, resigned.

THE RING.

Johnstown, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Arthur O. Upman, heavy weight champion of Connecticut, and Frank Bosworth, of New Jersey, fought for $500 a side, Queensbury rules, last night. The fight took place just over the Hamilton county line and was attended by about 200 sports. In the tenth round Bosworth was knocked out by Upman.

NINE DROWNED.

Cleveland, O., Sept 19.—The body of another of the missing yacht Leo's victims was discovered on the lake shore, a short distance west of the city this morning. It proved to be John Pilow, aged 21, of Lorraine. Pilow's clothes are badly burned which gave conclusive evidence that the Leo was blown up. No doubt every one of the nine men on the yacht are lost.

WARSHIP GOES TO THE SCENE.

Washington, Sept. 19.—A cablegram from the consul at Kingston, Jamaica, states that a riot occurred at Navisa, the guano island, owned by General Benj. F. Butler and an American company, and several Americans were killed. The warship Galena has been ordered to the scene.

RAILROAD BOUGHT IN.

Cincinnati, Sept. 19.—The Cincinnati, Washington & Baltimore railroad was sold at 11:30 to-day at the court house and was purchased for $5,000,000 by E. R. Bacon, representing the bondholders and stockholders in this country and England. The road was sold on a foreclosure mortgage.

A WOMAN'S SENTENCE.

Mays Landing, N. J., Sept. 19.—Mrs. Hamilton was found guilty and sentenced to two years' imprisonment to day.

THE EARTH TREMBLING

Ukiah, Cal., Sept. 19.—From Monday until Tuesday afternoon there were no less than a dozen sharp shocks of earthquake in the vicinity.

KILLED BY ACCIDENT.

Dunsmuir, Cal., Sept. 19.—One of a number of railroad employees accidentally discharged a revolver in a saloon here last night and L. Lake, an engineer, was shot and killed. He leaves a wife and two children in San Francisco.

A DEMOCRAT DEAD.

Providence, R. I., Sept. 19.—J. B. Barnaby, a member of the National Democratic committee, died at 4 o'clock this morning.

A KING ILL.

Lisbon, Sept. 19.—The king of Portugal is seriously ill and some fears are entertained as to the outcome.

DRY DOCK OPENED.

Portsmouth, Sept. 19.—The Simpson dry dock was formally opened this morning when the U. S. S. Yantic was successfully docked. The ceremony, which occurred at eleven o'clock, was witnessed by a large number of visitors from Baltimore, Washington, New York and Philadelphia, who arrived here this morning on the steamer Virginia. Following the docking of the Yantic, a banquet was held, at which speeches were made by J. Simpson of New York, Admiral Jouett of the U. S. Navy, Hon. John R. Thomas of Illinois, and others. The visitors will leave at 5:30 this evening on the Virginia to return home.

SPANISH PLUCK.

Madrid, Sept. 19.—The Spanish government has ordered its fleet of war vessels to proceed to Morocco to demand the release of the captain and four sailors and one passenger of the Spanish vessel captured off the coast of Morocco, and has also ordered 1500 men to be held in readiness to embark for Morocco at a moment's notice. Although this action has been taken, it is still hoped that the captives may be peacefully surrendered.

HE IS REMEMBERED.

O'Connor to be Presented with a Purse—Universities Federate.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—The friends of Wm. O'Connor met last evening and decided on giving a banquet and presenting a purse of money to the oarsman immediately on his return home. The sum of $255 was subscribed on the spot. O'Connor will be given a grand reception and a purse probably of nearly $1,000.

FEDERATION SETTLED.

In order to secure the removal of Victoria Methodist University from Cobourg to Toronto a quarter of a million dollars had to be subscribed. The first request of William Gooderham brings the total subscription up to $265,000 and the federation of the Methodist with the Provincial University is now settled.

THE THREE LINKS.

Sovereign Grand Lodge—Great Parade—Daughters of Rebekah.

Columbus, Sept 18.—The parade of the I. O. O. F. and Patriarchs Militant this afternoon was two and a half hours in passing, and the number of men in line exceeded 20,000, being divided into three divisions, with a large military array, among whom were the Montgomery, Ala., Grays, the Loyal Legion, and 200 Louisville and Toledo cadets. It was the greatest demonstration in number and eclat this order ever held in America. The only event to mar the day occurred about noon, when Grand Sire John G. Underwood met with a painful accident, and only escaped death by a miracle. He and his staff were riding along the street when the general's horse slipped and fell. He fell under his horse, and while in this position another horse, ridden by a member of the staff, struck him about the head with his foot. It was at first supposed his injuries were fatal; but though severely hurt he persisted in taking part in the parade, and to-night is on duty the same as ever.

To-night a military reception was given the general in the senate chamber, after which the ceremonies of the "Decoration of the Chivalry" took place at the city hall, followed by a grand ball in honor of Grand Sire Underwood and the Grand Lodge.

The Daughters of Rebekah to-day perfected a permanent organization. The following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. M. E. Rea of Missouri; vice-president, Loulas B. Hall of Indiana; secretary, Julia A. Burroughs of Massachusetts; treasurer, Mrs. C. A. Read of Kentucky; warden, Mrs. M. L. Fisher of Montana; conductor, Nettie Anton of Ohio; guardian, Miss Ercie Page of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Elizabeth Merry of Michigan.

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A CONTINENT TURNING OVER.

Unless, says the Examiner, something shall occur which no human agency can help or hinder to stay, the blind action of those stupendous subterranean forces whose stress and strain readjust the delimiting lines of continents and oceans, the entire Atlantic coast of the United States must continue to subside and remain subject to such assaults of the sea as has recently been exemplified in the last storm. In a flat country bordering on the sea for hundreds of miles south of New York, the subsidence of a few inches which is overcome by easy reclamations gives the the Storm King when really roused a desolating reach to places once inaccessible to his power. If the menace with which man has to reckon were a silent slow encroachment of still waters the situation would be vastly different. He would move as slowly backward as the waters forward, abandoning his positions successively, and hardly sensible of his retreat. But in this instance man does not note the changes which are going on. The subsidence has been too slight, and the water impelled by the storm king sweeps over the insignificant depressions of the earth, dealing destruction in their path. But though the changes are going on, they do not invite alarm. Slow subsidence is one thing and a rapid collapse another. So long as it is going to take years for the ocean to swallow up the Atlantic coast, ages in fact, real estate speculators will scarcely hedge on their investments. Besides, it is comforting to know that as the east coast subsides the west coast rises. There is no loss without some gain, and in view of this fact we may conclude that HORACE GREELY builded better than he knew when he said, "Go west, young man, go west."

A WORLD'S EXPOSITION.

The Paris exposition has been so successful that it has been decided to continue it beyond the time first decided upon for its closing. The end will not be seen until the last day of October. When Paris undertakes an affair of this kind it always manages to make it a success. Thousands of people have crossed the Atlantic to see Paris and its attractions, and the steamship companies have been busy transporting passengers.

They are talking of a World's Fair at New York. Would the French patronize this as largely as has been done by the people on this side of the water? It is doubtful. In the first place there is not the population to draw from, and secondly, there is not the wealth among the French to permit it. If there should be a World's fair held at New York it is the opinion of the Montreal Star that it should be determined upon by the various governments of Canada that this country should make a representation of her natural products and manufactures, of which none of the people attending the fair would be ashamed of. No such opportunity has yet occurred in the history of Canada for placing before the people of two hemispheres the proof of what this country possesses, in the way of natural resources, and what it can produce in the way of manufactured articles.

GERMANY AND RUSSIA.

If it be true, as stated in the cable dispatches, that the tension is increasing between Russia and Germany, that the Czar's treatment of the Emperor WILLIAM is being resented at Berlin, that the Reichstag is to be asked for an additional military credit of 60,000,000 marks, and that Germany's new sixteenth army corps is intended to be stationed on the Russian frontier, then Europe would appear to be on the verge of war. The Cologne Gazette thinks the first line of danger is not at Paris, but at St. Petersburg. Germany, so the Hamburg correspondence says, must accept the permanent hostility of the Czar. The Chancellor being convinced of the Czar's lasting enmity, will cease his cautious and delicate treatment of Russia, and henceforth treat St. Petersburg as he treats Paris. These papers are supposed to be inspired by the Iron Chancellor, and it is somewhat significant that the latter paper approves of the cordial relations of Russia and Great Britain. The semi-official German press is assailing the Czar with more than ordinary severity, and in the meantime BISMARCK is paying particular attention to the course of events in France, particularly in connection with the election campaign just opened.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Rev. E. D. HAMMOND three years ago became pastor of a Baptist church in Pittsburg. Since then he has very largely increased the membership of the church and has built a $25,000 edifice. But some of the members recently discovered that he was a smoker, and the discovery so impaired his usefulness that he has deemed it expedient to resign.

Speaking of London, Cardinal MANNING says: "There are four millions of living and dying and dead souls. And if every church or chapel or place of worship of every sort and kind were filled three times to the full on every Lord's Day, they could not contain more than 1,500,000. There must be, therefore, 2,500,000 who never can physically set their feet in any place of Divine worship or any place where the name and existence of God are recognized."

An "Adventist" of Massachusetts has, after careful computation and a diligent comparison of signs, decided that the day for which all other days were made will dawn on the 7th of next month. In other words, he says that sublunary things will come to an abrupt termination on that day, and he advises the faithful—the few who are elected to enjoy the delights of heaven—to get ready for the important event. It is comforting, in view of the short notice given, that there is not much "getting ready" necessary for such an occasion as no heirs will be left to quarrel over the wreck left by the general conflagration.

The successful raising of H. M. S. Sultan, says LABOUCHERE by some enterprising Italian speculators, is not calculated to increase our prestige in the Mediterranean, for it is descreditable to everyone concerned that the naval authorities should have been quite content to leave her at the bottom of the sea: and now we shall have to pay a reward of £50,000 for her recovery. To raise a ship of over 9,000 tons is a very serious operation, and the contractors deserve great credit for their cleverness and resources. Everything, so far as this country is concerned, has been thoroughly unsatisfactory about the Sultan from first to last. Whether the vessel will ever again be fit to join's fleet is another and a serious question. In the meantime it may be noted that, in addition to the £50,000 which has to be paid for raising her, she has cost the country nearly £800,000.

Those who claim to be authorities say that the sham naval war which has been raging for some time round the coasts of Britain has not been so interesting or suggestive as it was expected to be. It was thought that there would have been a series of stirring encounters, bearing more resemblance to real warfare than anything which could take place on land. The most of what has taken place has, on the contrary, merely illustrated an eager desire on the part of each fleet to get away from the other. Many places were, however, taken after heavy bombardment. Edinburgh, among the rest, was held to a ransom of £1,500,000 on pain of being reduced to ashes! The most of the magistrates were away in the country holiday making at the "important crisis in their country's history," and it was difficult for the officer dispatched with the official notice of ransom or bombardment to find any one on whom to serve the formidable missive!

Every country which has established a divorce court has found that the demands for divorce increase enormously. The case of the United States is enormous, when over 25,000 divorces are granted in one year, England in a lesser degree has had a similar experience, and now French statistics prove the same thing of that country. In France up to the passing of the divorce law in 1884, the number of judicial separations annually had been under 3000. In 1884 there were 1657 divorces, 1549 of them preceded by judicial separation; in 1885, 4123 divorces, 2163 preceded by separation; in 1886, 4007 divorces, 1300 of them after separation, and in 1887, 5797 divorces, 1112 after separation. The French statistics throw interesting light on the length of time which elapses before the marriage tie is sought to be broken. Three per cent. of the divorces take place within a year of marriage, 20 per cent. within five years after marriage, 36 per cent. between five and ten years, 28 per cent. between ten and twenty years, and 13 per cent. after more than twenty years.

DR. GRANT'S SERMON.

To the EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—In the columns of your weekly edition of September 13th appears a criticism by "A. Fiddle, D. D." on the orthodoxy of Principal Grant's sermon delivered in your city. I can not lay claim to any of the various titles bestowed upon men, by schools or factions, in this or any other land, for profound thought, or extraordinary development in powers of knowledge; yet I am thankful to be permitted to live in an age when it is allowed to all men or women to express their thoughts in words, and bring them before the public in a larger measure than was possible some fifty years ago. I did not have the opportunity to hear, nor even read the sermon of Principal Grant, before I penned this letter; I do not even know to what school of theologians the reverend gentleman belongs; but if I had been fortunate enough to listen to his delivery of the same, as "A. Fiddle, D. D.," my criticism would have turned out to be a happy concurrence with the clear, lucid truth expressed by the Reverend Dr.; for the points especially criticised by your correspondent, they are to me, the very life of a true Christian. I am extremely happy to hear that there are such men as Dr. Grant, even at our day, capable and determined to spread a truth so simple and yet so transcendingly glorious, filling the hearts of the simple, yet wise, of our day with the light of the highest intelligence, because their will is prepared there to choose the good, for the use of it leaving the issues thereof to Him who said, "If you love me, do my commandments; for they are not grievous;" and again, "everyone shall be rewarded according to the deeds done in the body, whether they be good or evil."

Not wishing to make my letter unnecessarily long, I will just touch upon "A. Fiddle's" objection to "teaching the heathen Japs and Chinese to do good, instead of belief in Christ the Lord, as the only means of salvation." Why, sir, it is almost incredible to think that we have in our midst a D. D. who seems so benighted as not to see that it is just the very reason that the millions of heathen nations won't accept our theologies, as preached to them by "I believe the most of our missionaries," because it is even to a heathen mind unworthy of consideration on account of its sterility and impotency of life, bringing strife hatreds, envy, malice and tyranny amongst those who are the loudest in their profession of logical Christianity. True Christian religion as taught from the word, "which I conceive to be the ultimation of divine truth" accommodated to the intelligence of the simplest mind on earth, is first to hate evil in ourself, and then learn to do good and not, and that is, as far as I can gather from "A. Fiddle's" letter, what Dr. Grant seems to have been guilty of giving prominence in his sermon at Victoria. So long as Principal Grant will continue in preaching such a gospel and live accordingly, so far will he prepare himself to become a recepticle of divine love and truth, which "divine love and truth is a fountain whence flow all good deeds done anywhere" to enter into and through the willing hearts of men to others; finding a sure resting place for the Lord to dwell, preparing the reviewer to forget all about merit of himself nor claiming the merits of any one else to be covered with.

I am sorry to say that "A. Fiddle's" theology has been permitted for so long a time to ensnare the unweary, causing all the abomination of which we as a nation are guilty of, to so rapidly spread and increase in our midst, hiding the true light of the Gospel of Christ, "who being the Lord God the Creator, Redemer and Regenerator, all in one," coming down into time, so that we can have a personal God; one "We can know how to worship." "One who did not come to be worshipped for his own good pleasure, but who delighted to do good deeds to man everywhere." Let us follow him! "All religion is of life, and the life of religion is to do good." GEO. POLLAY.

Vancouver, Sept. 17.

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3. The amount of the capital stock of the Company shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

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5. The number of the Trustees shall be three, and their names are William Smyth, Stephen Fulton McIntosh, and Arthur Heathorn, who shall manage the affairs for the first three months.

6. The principal place of business of the Company shall be in the City of Victoria.

7. A stockholder shall not be individually liable for the debts or liabilities of the Company, but the liability of a stockholder shall be limited to his proportion (based upon the amount of his respective shares) to assessments legally levied, and the charges thereon, if advertised as delinquent during the time that he is a shareholder, upon a share or shares of which he is the holder, as shown by the stockholders' register book of the Company; assessments and charges thereon, when taken collectively, shall not exceed in the aggregate the value in dollars printed or shown upon each share when issued.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the City of Victoria aforesaid, the 13th day of August, A. D. 1889.

WM. SMYTH,
S. F. McINTOSH,
A. HEATHORN.

Signed, sealed, and delivered and acknowledged by the said William Smyth, Stephen Fulton McIntosh and Arthur Heathorn in the presence of H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Notary Public, B. C.

Filed (in duplicate) 19th August, 1889.

C. J. LEGGATT,
aug22 Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 6th September, 1889. sep7

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WHISPERS OF THE WIRES.

The Doings of the World Condensed into Short Notes.

The British consul at Nisch, Mr. McDonald, and a party of friends were captured by brigands a few days ago, but were released in a short time.

M. Corvillain, proprietor of the cart ridge factory, the explosion of which caused such a frightful series of disasters in Antwerp has been arrested.

Arrangements have been made for a fight between Jem Smith and Slavin, the Australian champion, for $20,000. Smith will also fight Jackson, the negro, ten rounds for $10,000.

The Reichsan Zeiger publishes a decree of the emperor authorizing a loan of ninety million marks, in consequence of an additional army corps for Alsace-Lorraine.

Mr. Edison has gone to Heidelberg for a brief stay. He will return here before the end of the week to exhibit his phonograph to Emperor William and Prince Bismarck.

A steerage passenger named Edward Walsh, on the incoming liner Servia, from New York, committed suicide in mid-ocean last Monday by jumping overboard.

A grand banquet, in honor of Emperor William, was given by the provincial estates last night. Count Von Munster, German Ambassador to France, gave a toast in honor of the royal family. In his speech he said the Emperor could always count on the readiness of Hanover to respond to any call whether for peace or for war.

The workmen of London held a monster demonstration in Hyde Park Sunday afternoon to celebrate the victory of the London dock laborers, in finally securing from the dock directors almost every concession for which they contended during the heroic struggle of the past month. Jno. Burns was the chief speaker.

HON. JOHN ROBSON AND THE TEACHERS.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Are you aware that our premier is responsible for (yes, is he not a party to) the possibility of having *false* monthly returns sent to the education department? He was notified that Mr. Pope had instructed teachers to put "yes" to question 24 or 25 (or both) even when "yes" was not true. He was also asked to notify teachers that their salary would be paid even though they put true answers to those questions; but so far as I am aware he has not done so. However, in order that the teachers may know that they shall be paid their salary, I may state that I put "no" as answer to those questions in my August report and therein notified Mr. Pope that I would hold him personally responsible if he ventured to retain my salary. I sent the report on Aug. 31st and Mr. Pope, after deliberating until Sept. 10th, forwarded my voucher, and for the whole month of August! Would you not advise the teachers to stand firm and get rid of this tyranny and deceit in their monthly reports, even as they compelled the educational trio to "officially explain" away "daily marks" till only its dry bones are left in the statute books? J. N. Muir.

Wellington, Sept. 17, 1889.

CANADA'S ULTIMATE DESTINY

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir.—In your article on "Wiman for Parliament," your remark, "all good Canadians insist that Canada has a destiny." What that destiny is, from the tone of your article, I infer is ultimate independence. Sir John Macdonald, who, although perhaps a slippery politician, is without doubt a "good Canadian," once publicly stated, that of the two alternatives, annexation or independence, he favored annexation. In so speaking, he evidently preferred a continuance of the present relations between the crown and Canada. A condition of things by which the burden of defence is borne by the taxpayers of the United Kingdom, whilst at the same time Dominion legislation is purely selfish, and concedes no advantage to the Mother Country over foreign nations, is wanting in the elements of permanence. Nations, like individuals, show the most practical common sense when they concern themselves more with the present than the hereafter; still, as you are disposed to speculate as to the future of Canada, I would ask you whether you seriously consider its development so far has been such as to justify the belief that its ultimate independence is possible? Some progress has certainly been made the past decade, not so much, perhaps, in wealth and population as in the debt of the country. With the United States, a nation of 60,000,000, south of it, and adding a greater number every five years to its population than the Dominion of Canada contains, the latter as an independent power could only exist on sufferance. At the present time there are nearly three quarters of a million of "good Canadians" resident in the United States, and the tendency is for a large annual increase of that number. My belief is that there are more "Good Canadians" of the opinion that ultimately Canada will go over bodily to the United States, than there are "Good Canadians" who hold with you that she will become an independent power. Yours truly,

"A Good Canadian."

ABOUT FINGER RINGS.

Something About the Customs of the Past and Present in Their Use.

The famous Dr. John Thomas, bishop of Lincoln in 1753, married three times. On the occasion of his fourth espousal, he put this motto on his posy ring:

If I survive
I'll make them five.

History does not tell us whether the fourth Mrs. Thomas approved the sentiment, nor whether she so much marrying bishop lived to carry it out.

The motto rings of today are patterns of the posy rings of several centuries ago. The inscriptions are, of course, more modern, but the sentiment remains the same. Of late society has gone back to the real old English posy, and the hands of our American belles are being adorned with rings that carry the same mottoes that graced them in King Hal's time.

There used to be a custom in Rome which made the bridegroom send the bride before marriage a ring of iron to show how lasting the union ought to be, and the frugality they were to observe together; but by and by luxury crept in, and the iron ring was exchanged for one of gold, which change doubtless delighted the Roman ladies.

Numerous superstitions are connected with the ring. The English and French ladies of the times of the Crusades slept with their pillows while their lords and lovers were away fighting the infidel. The custom was supposed to produce pleasant dreams of the absent ones, and the rings were believed to be talismans of safety. The Scotch lass who looks through her betrothal ring three times on the night before her marriage is sure to see visions of the happiness in store for her, and the Greek girl who finds a ring will marry before the year is out.

The women of the uncivilized countries adorn their fingers with clumsy rings of bone and metal. Not satisfied with this, they wear rings in their ears and through the nose. Gypsy women are fond of rings, some of which they claim possess magical powers.

Of course there is nothing in the so called invisible rings. We are told that the famous circlet of Gyges rendered the wearer invisible when the stone was turned inward, and that the ring which Otnit, king of Lombardy, received from the queen's mother, always directed the owner the right road to take in traveling. There is a legend that a knight's daughter once found one of these invisible rings on the day before her wedding. Charmed with the beauty of it, she put it on and wore it to the altar. After the ceremony she happened to turn the stone inward, when lo! the prince saw her vanish, as it were, and rushing from the palace he was about to throw himself into the sea, when he was checked by the bride discarding the ring and calling him by name.

The custom of wearing locks of hair or pictures in rings has gone out of style. The poisoned ring is no longer made, for we have got beyond the days of the Borgias and the Medicis. It is generally believed that Hannibal killed himself with poison which he had long carried in a ring made for that purpose, and Demosthenes is said to have worn a poison circlet.

The true romance of the ring is connected with the engagement and wedding fingers. My lady wears the one with anticipation and the other with pride. As long as the world stands the hoop of gold will possess a significance which no other personal ornament can have.—T. C. Harbaugh in Pittsburg Bulletin.

Cultivation of Boys.

There are as a rule plenty of boys on the farm, but, as the Iowa State Register said recently, their cultivation is frequently sadly neglected. They are not cultivated in a way to make them contented and successful farmers. The fathers of the boys on the farms do not sufficiently take them into their confidence, to consult them about all of the farm operations and give them to feel they are partners in all that is done. The father should also, when he sells his hogs, cattle, horses, or any of the crops, sit down with his boys and tell all about the sale, the amount received, and compare the cost and profit of one class of farming over the other. Show them by figures what it costs to raise wheat and corn, as well as what amount of corn and grass each animal eats during his life and what each brought in the market. In this way boys will be cultivated into thinking, intelligent farmers, instead of mere drudges.

Then the boys should be consulted what to do with the money received from the crop that their joint labor has produced. The father can point out to them what debts have to be paid, what the necessities of the family for food and clothing will require, and how the balance shall be invested—whether in buying more land, laying a foundation for improved breeds of stock, and what it shall be. In this way report all of the operations, the same as you would to partners in business. They are partners, and they should be made to feel that they are truly partners in the work, and partners in directing all of the operations of the farm.

Some Dates of Easter Sunday.

Thomas Cunningham, of this place, who is a corresponding member of the Numismatic and Archæological society, of New York, possesses, among his many other "curios," a complete file of Phinney's Almanac from 1808 to 1887, inclusive, the publication of which was stopped in 1887. In looking over them one is struck by the variety of dates on which Easter Sunday occurs, every day in the month of April being represented except the last five. Throughout the file it occurs five times on the 19th and five times on the 16th of April; four times on each the 1st, 2d, 11th and 12th of April, and four times on the 31st of March; three times on the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 10th, 13th, 14th and 22d of April and the 27th and 28th of March; April 25, 1886, being the latest and March 22, 1818, the earliest dates on which it occurs. Eight dates in March are represented, viz.: 22d, 23d, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 30th and 31st.—Utica Herald.

The Cigarettes.

The ingenuity of the women of London and Paris in inventing new dissipation is without limit. To the morphine habit the devotees of sensationalism have now added the practice of smoking tea cigarettes. Special grades of the finest tea are used, and the effect of the cigarettes is said to be delightful for fully an hour after one has been smoked. After that comes the reaction in the form of a nervous trembling and excitability, but which is subdued, according to a woman of title, who rather goes in for all these things, by a thimbleful of frozen absinthe. Thus by industriously ringing the changes on morphine, tea, cigarettes and absinthe, with a few intrigues, some scandal and a raft of white hot French novels, the woman of society manages to worry through the day. I wonder if the American girl's great success abroad is not due to her naturalness and health.—London Cor. Philadelphia Ledger.

A Snake Vein.

What was known as the Sullivan Falls mine is now only marked by a pile of broken rock; but in the days when men's brains were fired by the glittering prospects of untold wealth it seemed a bonanza and assumed corresponding proportions. Ground was broken there in winter, and the first thing that was struck by the prospectors after going down through the frost was a vein of—snakes! And such snakes! There were tiny infant snakes that had just been ushered into this sinful world; there were hoary headed old grandfathers, and uncles and cousins, and aunts! There were black snakes, and green snakes, and yellow snakes, and every color of the rainbow snakes! There were thousands in the colony. It wasn't a very good paying vein; but some of the Maine gold mines didn't pan out so well as this, even.—Lewiston Journal.

Washington's Jump.

A story is told of Washington making a famous jump for a wife during his youth. "He was riding, so the story goes, along the Potomac above Georgetown, when he came to the house of a large estate, and seeing a crowd on the lawn, he asked the cause of the gathering. He was told that a jumping match was in progress, and the prize was the hand of the farmer's daughter. He looked on for a time at the different jumps, and finally asked if he might not also try his skill. The host consented, and Washington jumped farther than the farthest. As he did so he noted that the countenance of the maiden fell, and that she looked rather woefully at the face of his leading competitor, who had made the next best jump, and who was evidently her lover. He resigned his claim to the lady's hand in his rival's favor, and it is said that this lady afterward recalled the circumstance when she met him at one of his presidential levees."—Cosmopolitan.

Ingenious Mode of Advertising.

The agents for a certain kind of cough candy distribute circulars on which is stated the following puzzle: "What number can you take, and when you divide it by two, three, four, five or six you will have one over, but when divided by seven nothing will remain?" The circular goes on to say that if a person cannot solve the puzzle he should buy a box of the candy, when the agent will hand him the right number on a slip of paper. The methods of advertising are not yet all exhausted.—Scientific American.

That'll Fetch It.

"What's the trouble with you?" asked the doctor. "Insomnia," replied the patient. "Can't sleep, eh?" "Not four hours a night." "Ever tried anything?" "Tried everything, all no good." "Ever try trying to keep awake?" Patient sees hope for himself in an experiment that never was known to fail.—Bob Burdette.

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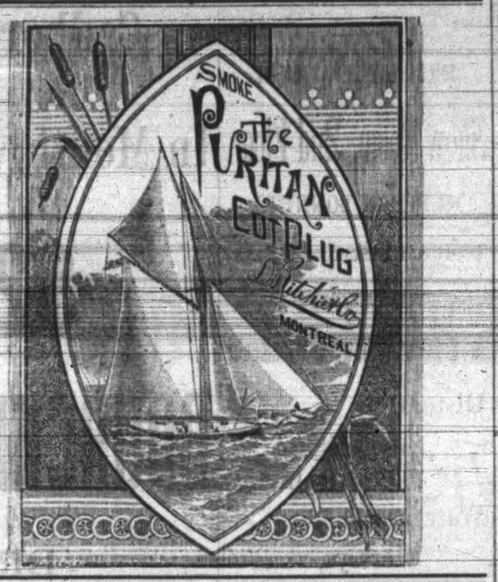

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LAND NOTICES.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Shushartie Bay, Rupert district, and described as follows: Commencing at the S. E. corner of section 5 (Hobt. Hunt's purchase claim); thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 106 chains; thence east to H. W. M. Shushartie Bay; thence southerly following the shore line to the point of commencement. Staked this 20th day of August, 1889.
J. D. HELMCKEN,
Victoria, Sept. 18th, 1889. sep16-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tracts of land, situate at Duncan Bay, Sayward district, described as follows:—

Tract No. 1.—Commencing at the northwest corner of lot 26; then e west 80 chains; thence south 75 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 75 chains to the place of commencement, containing 600 acres.

Tract No. 2.—Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 26; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence south 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 240 acres, more or less.

JAS. KING,
sep11 M. KING.

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D. FREEMAN.
August 22nd, 1889. aug22-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate in Sayward district commencing at a post on the 50th parallel of north latitude, 13 miles west of Discovery Passage, thence west 5 miles; thence north 3½ miles; thence east 5½ miles, more or less, to the western boundary of Messrs. Ross & McLaren's timber leases; thence south ½ mile; thence west 1 mile; thence south 3 miles to the place of commencement. Containing 11 520 acres, more or less.
COL. SCOTT,
W. LADD,
E. CASEY,
J. KING,
M. KING.
sep10-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, J. N. Simmons, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land situated in Quatsino district, Vancouver Island, commencing on the sea shore, four (4) chains southeast of the most easterly house in "Quatsino" Indian village, Quatsino Narrows, and running north ten (10) chains; thence east two (2) chains; thence south to the sea shore, and thence in a westerly direction to the place of commencement. Containing two (2) acres, more or less. sep10-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a stake marked A, about two and a half miles below Kildalis River (near White Silde); thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains, and thence running along the shore line to point of commencement. Claim located and staked Aug. 26th, 1889.
W. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
S. A. McDOWELL.
sep1-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend applying to the Chief commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands in Renfrew district:—

Commencing at a stake on Juan de Fuca Strait, situated between Muir Creek and Sheringham Point; running north 160 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 120 chains to the shore; thence along the shore to the place of commencement.

No 2.—Commencing at a stake, northwest corner of A. P. Bliss's claim; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 400 chains, to San Juan Harbor; thence south along shore of San Juan Harbor to Juan de Fuca Straits; thence along shore to A. P. Bliss's claim; thence north to point of commencement. W. P. SAYWARD.
Victoria, July 31st, 1889. aug16-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands, in Sayward District:—

Commencing 80 chains west from Ross & McLaren's claim on Campbell Lake; thence west 400 chains; thence north 400 chains; thence east 400 chains; thence south 400 chains, to place of commencement. W. P. SAYWARD.
August 10th, 1889. aug16-1m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, described as follows: Commencing about ten miles below Hans Helgesen's fishery at Gaskinchs, at a stake marked A; thence running west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement. Staked March 19th, 1889.
ALEX. McNEILL,
Wannock, Rivers Inlet, July 25, 1889. aug5-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT 60 DAYS from date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in the Rupert district described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the Indian Reserve at the mouth of the Nimkish River; thence westerly 440 yards; thence north 1760 yards; thence east 440 yards; thence along the western line of the reserve to place of commencement.
ALFRED J. HALL.
August 8th, 1889. aug13

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away trees from the tract of land described as follows:

Commencing at a point about 2½ miles west of the mouth of Bear River; thence south 20 chains; thence west 240 chains; thence north 140 chains, more or less, to the shore of Johnston Strait; thence following the shore line of Johnston Strait to the point of commencement.
DAN BAILEY.
August 24th, 1889. sep1-d1t-w4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands in Queen Charlotte District, viz:

1. A small island called Gust Island, situate in Skidegate Inlet, and lying south of Shoal Bay, containing 30 acres, more or less.

2. 1280 acres lying west of the old Seymour Coal Claim, on Skidegate Bay, commencing at the north west corner post of the said claim; thence south 80 chains, thence west 160 chains, more or less, to Huo Creek; thence north to the shore of Skidegate Bay; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

Dated at Victoria, this 31st day of July, 1889.
JAMES FELL,
JAMES DEANS.
ly31-d3w-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated on Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a post marked "M. H. C." and "G. C. S." about half-way between the Wannock Cannery and Kildalis river (near Little Round Mountain); thence nearly north 40 chains; thence nearly east 40 chains; thence nearly south 40 chains to shore line, and thence following the meanderings of the shore to point of commencement.
M. H. COWAN
G. C. SHAW.
Victoria, August 19th, 1889. au23-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the following described lands:

Tract No. 1.—Commencing about two miles east of Cracroft Point, Valdez Island, on the north side of the unsurveyed channel, running south 100 chains; east 100 chains; south 100 chains; east 180 chains to a bay on unsurveyed channel; thence north 100 chains along the shore line; thence west along the shore line 200 chains to place of commencement.

Tract No. 2.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel about two miles east of Discovery Passage; thence running 60 chains west; 100 chains north; 100 chains east; 100 chains south to the shore; 40 chains along shore to place of commencement.

Tract No. 3.—Starting on the south side of unsurveyed channel running 60 chains north; west 60 chains; south 80 chains; east along shore 60 chains to point of commencement.

Tract No. 4.—Commencing on a bay running 20 chains north; east 20 chains; north 40 chains; east 40 chains; south 60 chains to the shore line; north-westerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Tract No. 5.—On a bay on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running 20 chains south; 20 chains east; 40 chains south; 60 chains east; north 60 chains to the shore line; west along the shore line to point of commencement.

VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING Co.
Victoria, Jans 14th, 1889. je21-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following islands situated on the north side of Lasqueti Island, Gulf of Georgia:

Two small islands to the north of Section 22 on Lasqueti Island, containing 50 acres, more or less.

One small island to the north of Section 21, containing 20 acres, more or less.

Two small islands in Tucker Bay, containing 10 acres, more or less.
MORRIS MOSS.
jy17

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Tuesday, 1st October, at noon, for the erection and completion of ten (10) two-storey frame residences, together with outhouses, fences, etc., on lots facing Douglas and Rae street, and Churchway.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JNO. TEAGUE,
Architect.
sep21-1w

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Saturday, 21st instant, at noon, for the erection of two-storey residence facing southeast corner of Vancouver and Bellot streets.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JNO. TEAGUE,
Architect.
sep11-1d

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 4 o'clock on the 17th inst., for the erection of a two-storey frame dwelling house in Victoria West.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of W. R. Wilson, architect.
JOHN W. COBURN.
sep10-1d

IN
THE COUNTY COURT OF VICTORIA,
Holden at Victoria.
Between Gault Bros., Plaintiffs, and David J. Loyd, Defendant.

TO THE DEFENDANT:—

TAKE NOTICE THAT IN PURSUANCE OF an order of the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease made herein on the 7th day of September, 1889, a copy of the Writ of Attachment and Summons against the goods and chattels of the above-named Defendant, David J. Loyd, and of the said Order authorizing substituted service, have been posted in the Registrar's office in the Law Courts, and that unless the Defendant enter an appearance within eight days from the date hereof, the case will be heard and adjudicated upon in the Defendant's absence.
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
20 Chancery Lane, Victoria,
Solicitors for Plaintiffs.
Saturday, the 7th day of September, A.D. 1889.
sep7-8t

NOTICE.

JOHN W. KELLER AND S. C. BURRIS have this day entered into partnership for the purpose of manufacturing and dealing in Sewer Pipe, Tile, Terra Cotta, and other clay wares.
Office, cor. Yates and Quadra Sts.
Pottery Works, Constance Cove Road, Victoria West.
J. W. KELLER.
S. C. BURRIS.
sep5-1m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will not be responsible for any debts contracted in his name without his written order after 20th June.
THOMAS MATHEWS
June 20. Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON IN POSSESSION OF THE Will of the late James Ward, of Cook street, Victoria, will oblige by communicating with the undersigned.
J. HOLAND HETT
25th June, 1889. je25 Barrister-at-Law

NOTICE.

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the second day of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.
Victoria, 31st August, 1889. au31

NOTICE.

Union Colliery Company of B. C.
(Limited Liability.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the second day of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.
Victoria, 31st August 1889. au31

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land near McLoughlin Bay on the east coast of Campbell Island, B. C., described as follows: Beginning at the S. E. post of the Hudson Bay Co.'s claim, thence 20 ch ains west, thence south 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement. JOSEPH HALL.
Nanaimo, July 24, 1889. jy30 2m

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.
Between
JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
and
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Provost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.
JAMES C. PROVOST.
Dated, Victoria, February 13th, 1889. m16

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.), are requested to send in their claims. And all persons indebted to the said Company are requested to pay the same to
R. A. BROWN, Liquidator,
Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.)
Victoria, B. C., 4th Sept. 1889. sep4

Estate of James Williams, Late of Juneau, Alaska, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith and all persons having any claims against the estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to
JAMES C. PREVOST,
Administrator.
je24-1d

"Land Registry Act."

BLOCK 7, WORK ESTATE, LOT No. 437, E ½ of Lot No. 436, parts of Lot No. 2004 and also Lot 2035, Victoria City. And the W ½ of the W ½ of Suburban Lot No 52, Esquimalt District.

Certificate of indefeasible title to the above hereditaments will be issued to Roderick Finlayson, on the 30th day of September, 1889, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said hereditaments or some part thereof.
C. J. LEGGATT.
Land Registry Office, Registrar-General
27th June, 1889. je25-3m

MUNICIPAL.

COURT OF REVISION.

THE COURT OF REVISION WILL meet at the City Hall on Monday, the 23rd day of September, prox., at 11 a.m.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Hall, August 22nd, 1889. a22 C. M. C.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
Real Estate Agent, Notary, Etc.
Has removed to No. 57 Government St., Two doors North of Morison's drug store.
May 8th.

A BY-LAW

To amend the "Water Commissioner By-Law, 1887."

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the "Water Commissioner By-Law, 1887."

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That section 4 of the said By-Law is hereby amended by striking out the words "one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month" in the third and fourth lines thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred and fifty dollars per month."

This By-law may be cited as the "Water Commissioner Amendment By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 4th day of September, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 11th day of September, A. D. 1889.
(L. S.) JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

VANCOUVER AND QUADRA Lodge, No. 17, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R. Regular Communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
A. B. ERSKINE, Secretary.
jy23

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, R. R. S. Regular convocation held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas Street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.
W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.
jel 1y

PAN WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular Communication every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend.
B. H. JOHN, K. of R. & S. oct9

VICTORIA - COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
mr8-1y R. B. ERNOUF, Secretary.

ST. ANDREW'S and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, cor. Langley and Yates streets on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
JOHN ROSS, Secretary.

HOTELS—VICTORIA.

THE AMERICAN HOTEL,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.
Established 1869. Rates $1.00 to $1.50 per day.
jely18 T. J. BURNES.

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A. & W. WILSON,
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Bell Hangers and Tinsmiths. Dealers in Best descriptions of Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, etc. Shipping supplied at lowest rates. Broad street, Victoria, B.C. Telephone call, 128.

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G. HARGREAVES,
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Plans, specifications and estimates furnished for buildings. S. E. cor. of Government & Fort Sts., 2nd flat, Victoria, B. C.

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REAL ESTATE.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
Real Estate and General Agent. Loans negotiated. Town and Country Property for sale. Office Bastion street, next to Bank of British Columbia, Victoria. P. O. Box 50.

ARCHITECT, Etc.

JOHN TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,
Government street, Victoria, British Columbia.

DENTISTS.

DR. LEWIS HALL,

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream at Steitz's.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street.

—Pheasants are said to be extremely numerous near Elk Lake.

—New designs in dinner and toilet-ware, glassware, lamps, etc., at John Weiler's.

—"We lead" for elegance, style and beauty of finish. Hall & Lowe, Government street.

—Tenders will be received at M. Moss' office until Saturday, for repairs to the schooner Lily.

—Ice cream delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery. Telephone call 161.

—Two young recruits enlisted in "C" Battery yesterday, the first new material for some time past.

—The best place to secure a good suit to order, is at Campbell & Simpkins', 88 Government street.

—For the latest American designs in Upholstery. Try Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—A consignment of fire bricks for the National Electric Tramway company arrived last evening.

—Sideboards that have no equal in design and price at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Large stock of new style carpets, curtains, table covers and plushes just received at John Weiler's.

—The letter of "Justice," who writes from Vancouver, will be published if the writer affixes his name to it.

—A boy of nine years ago a few days ago purchased a gun, powder, shot and caps from a local pawnbroker.

—The finest assortment of Bedroom sets for the least money at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—A gunner of "C" Battery while riding a horse a few days ago, was struck by the pommel and severely injured.

—Campbell & Simpkins, No. 88 Government street, have received their fall goods. Go and see for yourselves.

—The bark Palestine, Capt. Hayden, will leave Comox to-morrow with a cargo of Union mine coal for San Francisco.

—A relation of Lord Stanley, says New Westminster *Truth*, is yachting in the waters of the province at present.

—John T. Pierre has received his first shipment of fall and winter goods. Go and see them at No. 96 Yates street. Im

—Another carload of stoves just arrived for us. A fine selection of heaters at McLennan & McFeely's, 79 Yates St.

—Several young men of this city have been speculating, during the past few days, in Port Townsend lots with fair results.

—C Battery band, under the intorship of Prof. Pferdner, is practising diligently for future events this winter in the shape of hops.

—In the police court this morning, Charles Clark pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk and disorderly and the usual fine was imposed.

—At a meeting of the licensing board of New Westminster yesterday it was decided the board had no power to increase the number of saloon licenses.

—The C. P. R. & N. Co.'s steamer Michigan is expected to arrive this evening with about seventy-five tons of freight consigned to Victoria merchants.

—The steam schooner Gertie Storey, arrived at Nanaimo yesterday from Alaska where she has been acting as tender to the Central Alaska Canning Company.

—Seven hundred cases of coal oil from Petrolia, Ont., arrived from the east last night. This is the largest consignment from that quarter ever arriving here at one time.

—The Yosemite will leave in the morning for the Fraser river to gather up 10,000 cases of salmon for the bark Hueteje, which has about 20,000 cases already loaded.

—A grand opening of fall goods at Spencer's Arcade began to-day. The stock this year is very fine, comprising every conceivable thing which makes the ladies happy.

—The collection of St. James' Church at Vancouver on Sunday was handed to the pastor, Rev. H. G. Fiennes Clinton, to assist him to defray the expenses of his trip to England.

—Just arrived at Hastie & Lockhart's a large consignment of the very latest designs in Linoleums, Carpets and Mattings. Call before purchasing elsewhere 62 Government street.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, reed rockers, upholstery goods and housefurnishings in the province at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

—The young man who conducted a "Cheap John" on Yates street, next to Teague's drug store, has shut up shop, and honorably, so far as learned. He seemed to sell a quantity of goods, yet he said "he lose de money on de down; de beoples are too quiet."

—On a recent Sunday, as Mr. Edward Milne, of Sooke, and known to many Victorians, was on his way to church, he, with his two small children, was confronted on the road by a large black bear, who looked so menacing that they beat a retreat with becoming speed.

—Louise Paris, a Seattle courtesan, having $240 which she desired to have deposited in a bank, entrusted her paramour, Pete Peugus, with the charge, and as a result now means the loss of $200. The rascal deposited $40 in the bank and with the remaining amount skipped to Victoria.

—A lively runaway occurred about 1:30 this afternoon on Yates street. The horse was hitched to an express wagon, and was started by the noise made by tearing down an old building next to the Pritchard House. The animal was stopped on Wharf street before any damage was done.

—A party of Victorians have intimated their intention of coming up to New Westminster district in the course of a few days, to enjoy a season's shooting and fishing. And in order to preserve the game around Sumas Lake, until their arrival, they have written to a prominent resident of that locality asking that henceforth the trespass law be strictly enforced on all lands bordering on the lake.—*Truth*.

—The *Colonist* of this morning contains a letter on this subject from "An Old Resident" who concludes his remarks by asking if Ald. Goodacre has ever read the following lines:

"Touch not a single bough,
In youth it sheltered me,
And I'll protect it now."

Ald. Goodacre's best, and Ald. Goodacre is of opinion that if they are really the sentiments of the writer of the letter, the words in small capitals in verse consisively prove that "An Old Resident" did considerable "bumming" in his early days under the trees in Beacon Hill Park.

LOST AND FOUND.

The Wild Search That Was Made for a Money Package.

Arthur Englehardt, clerk in the Northern Pacific express office, was in a state of great mental perturbation last night over the supposed loss of a package of money containing $821, in greenbacks. He went down to the steamer North Pacific, with a number of packages, among which was, so he thought, the package containing the money. Arriving at the steamer, his consternation was great when he found that the money package was not among the others. A hasty return and a search over the route which he had followed in going to the steamer, failed to reward him. The police were notified, but they too could not locate the missing money, and the young man went home to ponder over the loss.

This morning Mr. Blackwood discovered the package in his desk in the office, the clerk having overlooked it, and there it had rested in safety during the wild search that was being made for it.

Midnight Prowlers.

Thieves attempted to enter the residence of Mr. S. Phillips, Fort street, about midnight last night. An attempt was made to force open a window, but so much noise was made that the inmates were awakened, and the question "who's there?" frightened the parties away.

Mere Progress.

Workmen commenced to-day to tear down the old rookeries next to the Pritchard House, which have stood since the early sixties. The property belongs to Chief Justice Begbie and is under lease to the Belmont company, who will erect a handsome brick building thereon.

Hop on the Swiftsure.

The hop given on board H. M. S. Swiftsure this afternoon was well attended. The flagship was beautifully decorated with bunting, and to the splendid music of the band dancing on the quarterdeck was entrancing. These afternoon hops are always looked forward to with zest.

Suit Missing.

A waiter employed in the Delmonico restaurant has missed a suit of clothes from his room. A well connected young man of this city is accused by the waiter of knowing something of the affair, and threats are made by the waiter to have a summons issued unless the suit is returned within twenty-four hours.

The Behring Sea Seizures.

A. L. Belyea, barrister, has received a letter from Deputy Minister of Fisheries Tilton, acknowledging the receipt of the resolutions, respecting the Behring sea seizures, passed at the public meeting held in the city on the 21st inst. Mr. Tilton states that the resolutions will be forwarded to Her Majesty's government.

The Port Fairy.

The Oriental liner Port Fairy will go over to Departure Bay to-morrow from Vancouver to take on 1200 tons of coal for fuel. This quantity will suffice for more than a round trip to the Orient. At present the coal in China is of a poor quality, which accounts for the enormous quantity taken by the vessel, which is of splendid quality.

Beacon Hill Park.

The plan for the improvement of Beacon Hill Park, as prepared by Mr. Blair, and, according to which, improvements are now being made, is on exhibition at Campbell's corner. The lovers of nature unadorned, who publish nonsense in the *Colonist* about vandalism, etc., are invited to inspect the plan and learn something about which they seem to be profoundly ignorant.

The Detention of the Lakme.

The captain of the Lakme was interviewed by a *Free Press* reporter as to his detention at the port of Nanaimo. He said that he was chartered by Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co. to load salmon at the Skeena river for Astoria. He claims that the customs officials at New Westminster informed him that he could obtain his clearance papers at Nanaimo, but on arriving there Collector Smith would not do so. Captain Graves states that some one will have to pay for his detention, as he was acting under instructions from the firm which chartered his vessel.

Collector Smith states that he was willing to clear the Lakme for the out port of Port Simpson, situated forty miles above the Skeena river, as Skeena river is not an out port. He considered he had no power to clear a vessel for any place in another jurisdiction except a port or out port, and Skeena river not being either, he declined to clear the steamer accordingly. The Lakme is still here awaiting further orders.

Arrested on Suspicion.

A young man was arrested this morning about eleven o'clock and taken to the city lock-up where he was charged with the larceny of a suit of clothes, the property of Henry Carter, a waiter in the Delmonico restaurant. A few days ago the prisoner entered the restaurant, ordered the best meal the house could produce, and after satisfying his healthy appetite walked off without paying. On Tuesday evening he entered the office of the hotel, went to the board on which the keys of the rooms hang, and selecting one, went up stairs, where he coolly appropriated a room in which he slept during the night. He also forgot to pay for the room in the morning. It is claimed that on arising he went on a foraging expedition, and discovering Carter's new suit of tailor made clothes, he thought they would admirably suit his shape, so he appropriated them. The prisoner says, however, that he did not steal the key of the room, but that permission was given him to sleep in a room up stairs by the night bartender of the Delmonico saloon.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Athletic Club Reception Notes in General.

The Victoria Athletic club will throw open its rooms to the public a week from Friday evening.

RETURNED.

Frank LeRoy, one of the Victoria hose team, returned from Tacoma last night. He thinks the Victorians have been in bad luck and under disadvantages.

WANTS A MATCH.

Cameron, the wrestler, has challenged McLeod to catch-as-catch-can for from $500 to $1000 a side, and stipulates that it is to be decided in any town in the province, excepting Nanaimo.

LACROSSE.

The Capitals have arranged to play the Vancouver team on Saturday, the 28th instant, on the Hill.

The Westminsters have been challenged by the Capitals to play here on Saturday, October 5th, and it is to be hoped they will come to time.

SPORTING.

Boston, Sept. 19.—Owing to continuous rainy weather and consequent heaviness of the race track at Beacon Park, Baleh's $10,000 stallion race was again postponed to-day till Saturday.

Sullivan will start for New York to-night to engage Ike Weir and Paddy Kerrigan to go with his combination.

C BATTERY SPORTS.

The annual sports of C Battery were held at Beacon Hill yesterday. The lovely weather conduced to the enjoyment of the affair, which was ably carried out under the management of the officers, assisted by Sergt. Major Mulcahy. Capt. Benson and Lieut. Ogilvie acted as referees, while Lieut. Gaudet performed the duties of starter. The following are the events, winners and distances:

Pyramid Race.—(24 lbs.)—1st, Sergt. Kennedy, 20 ft 5 in; 2nd, Gr. Michaud, 27 ft 1 in; 3rd, Sgt Brimstone, 28 ft 7 in.

100 Yards Dash.—1st, Sgt Brimstone, 12 seconds; 2nd, Gr. Wray; 3rd, Staff-Sgt Kennedy.

Tossing the Caber.—1st, Staff-Sgt Kennedy, 25 ft 9 in; 2nd, Gr Michaud, 25 ft; 3rd, Gr Sherhard, 24 ft 6 in.

Running High Jump.—1st, Sgt Brimstone, 5 ft 8 in; 2nd, Corporal, 5 ft 6½ in; 3rd, Staff-Sgt Kennedy, 4 ft 9 in.

Old Soldiers Race.—1st, Col Holmes; 2nd, Quartermaster-Sgt Hewlett; 3rd, Sgt Proctor.

Hurdle Race (220 yds).—1st, Sgt Brimstone; 2nd, Gr Wray; 3rd, Sgt Chamard.

Egg Race.—1st, Sgt Kennedy; 2nd, Sgt Chamard; 3rd, Sgt Brimstone.

Throwing Hammer (16 lbs).—1st, Sgt Kennedy, 67 ft 5 in; 2nd, Corp Kirkpatrick, 66 ft 8 in; 3rd, Gr Grant, 62 ft 4 in.

Donkey Race.—1st, Staff-Sgt Kennedy and Gr Hall; 2nd, Corp Napier and Gr Foote; 3rd, Sgt Brimstone and Gr Rourke.

Throwing Cricket Ball.—1st, Sgt Kennedy, 105 yds; 2nd, Gr Michaud, 85 yds; 3rd, Corp Napier, 81 yds 2 ft.

Half-Mile Race.—1st, Corp Kirkpatrick, 2 min 17 sec; 2nd, Sgt Brimstone; 3rd, Gr Olivier.

Kicking Football.—1st, Gr Hall, 13 yds 2 ft; 2nd, Lieut Ogilvie, 12 yds 1 ft; 3rd, Gr Olivier, 10 yds 2 ft.

Hop, Step and Jump.—1st, Sgt Brimstone, 36 ft 9½ in; 2nd, Gr Wray, 33 ft 9½ in; 3rd, Gr Hall, 32 ft 3 in.

Tug of War.—Right Division and Band vs. Left Division. Won by Left Division.

Consolation Race.—1st, Sgt Kains; 2nd, Gr Pasto; 3rd, Gr Barnes.

QUINN A MEMBER.

At a special meeting of the Victoria Athletic Club held last evening, W. H. Quinn, the wrestler, was elected a member.

AT HYMEN'S ALTAR.

The McFeeley-Cameron Wedding Solemnized This Morning.

At St. Andrew's pro-cathedral, at 8:30 o'clock this morning, the marriage ceremony of Edward J. McFeeley, of the firm of McLennan & McFeeley, Victoria and Vancouver, and Miss Gracie E. Cameron, of this city, was solemnized, the Rev. Father Van Nevel officiating. The church was filled with friends of the contracting parties, and the bride looked radiantly happy attired in white silk *en train*, with veil and orange blossoms. Mr. Walter S. Chambers gave the bride away and Miss Cecilia Cameron, attired in a dress of coral pink, and Miss Maud Chambers, in Nile green silk, acted the always pleasing part of bridesmaids. The groom was supported by his brother, Fred. McFeeley.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was partaken of at the home of the bride's mother, Kane street, attended by the immediate relatives and friends of the principals. The charming bride was the recipient of numerous costly, useful and ornamental gifts from her many friends. Mr. and Mrs. McFeeley will leave in the morning on the Olympian for a honeymoon tour of Washington and Oregon, and on their return in a month will make their home in Vancouver with best wishes from all for future welfare.

CITY'S FINANCES.

Statement Presented to the Council by the Auditors Last Evening.

At the meeting of the council Wednesday evening, the following financial statement of the city by the auditor was read and received:

Estimated revenue for the year	$155,212 75
Add estimated increase in real estate tax	40,000 00
	$198,212 75
Expenditures to August 1st	$124,402 07
Checks drawn in September	20 179 25
Contracts, say	9,000 00
	153,581 42
Balance available	$ 39,631 33

UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATIONS.

	Am't Voted.	Am't Spent.	Balance.
Police	16,200	9,105 72	7,093 28
Charges	9,000	7,569 53	1,430 47
St. lighting	9,200	4,294 60	4,905 40
Elec. lt. plant	8,500	8,687 65	* 187 65
Sts. & bridges	18,000	33,981 77	*15,981 77
Fire dept	10,500	8,143 04	2,356 96
Fire dept. plant	4,000	2,100 00	1,900 00
Sidewalks	8,000	3,409 67	4,590 34
Survey exp	2,250	2,242 62	*92 62
Cemetery	1,640	1,317 00	323 00
Pound	800	605 00	195 00
Board of health	7,640	3,597 86	4,042 14
Library	2,200	2,081 41	*881 41
General lighting	1,200	1,057 61	*357 67
Commission	500	389 42	110 58
Legal expenses	1,500		1,500 00
Office furniture	500	393 42	106 58
Donations	1,000	326 00	673 40
W. W., gen. ac	10,500	10,585 20	*85 20
Park	2,340	2,564 83	*224 83
Reserve	5,000	5,399 06	*399 06

*Appropriations exceeded amount voted.

EXPENDITURE.	
Waterworks	$10,595 38
Fire department	7,143 04
Streets and bridges	22,891 07
Police	8,196 09
Pound	605 00
Charges	7,569 53
Survey expenses	2,242 62
Board of health	3,597 86
Street lighting	6,264 00
Sidewalks	3,409 66
Commission	389 42
Donations	326 00
Debenture interest	12,042 13
Park	2,564 83
General interest	1,907 07
Cemetery	1,317 00
Electric light plant	8,687 65
Deposit account	360 00
Horse and cart	280 00
Drainage	490 70
Office furniture	393 41
Road rollers	474 90
Library	2,081 41
Fire department plant	2,100 00
Sprinkler	345 15
Revision of assessment roll	1,594 57
Miscellaneous—	
Mayor, 6 mos	$ 1 000 00
Aldermen, 5 mos	900 00
Reward to Barnes	100 00
24th May subscription	100 00
Seattle sufferers	1,000 00
Adv. N. Y. World	300 00
Adv. in St. Paul Journal of Commerce	35 00
	4,284 49
	$124,402 07

From loans	
Water works 16-inch main	$36,286 50
" $80,000 loan	2,926 48
Streets and bridges, $45,000 loan	7,288 66
Johnson street sewer	3,349 56
Park, $25,000 loan	65 00
Total	$50,069 28
RECEIPTS.	
Water works	$25,899 67
Fire insurance tax	4,950 00
Pound fees	224 50
Survey expenses	110 00
General interest	1,575 00
Real estate tax	5,011 20
Trades licenses	12,219 50
Retail liquor licenses	12,225 00
Wholesale liquor licenses	625 00
Road tax	1,406 00
Drivers' licenses	40 00
Dog tax	202 00
Corporation seal	10 00
Maps	11 00
Police court fines and fees	2,379 00
Cemetery	1,320 75
Deposit account	1,105 00
Thos. Russell	12 95
Jos. Gosnell	266 20
Total	$70,980 67

JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 7, 1889.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Misses McRae and Tubman, who have been making extended visits to friends in Cedar Hill, have left for their homes in Walla Walla and Evanstown respectively.

Rev. D. Fraser will return to the city to-night, having made an extended mission tour on the mainland through the Westminster district.

Rev. P. McF. Macleod will make a missionary trip to Alberni next week.

Mrs. John Grant and daughter will leave for the east in the morning via the C. P. R. Toronto, Montreal, Boston, New York and other centres will be visited on a trip extending over several months.

T. G. Rayner went over to the mainland this morning on the Islander for business.

R. M. Brereton came over from the mainland last night.

D. M. Eberts has gone up to the interior to conduct cases for the crown at the assizes.

Hon. John Robson left for Lillooet this morning to take a hand in the coming fray on Saturday next.

Rev. H. Fiennes-Clinton, of Vancouver, came down last evening en route to England.

J. B. Lovell returned from Yale last evening.

B. Holgate and wife of Tacoma were passengers from the Sound yesterday.

Alex. Matheson and bride came down from Kamloops last night to spend their honeymoon.

Rev. John Reid, D. D., was a passenger for Vancouver this morning to attend the coming Y.M.C.A. convention.

Captain John Irving is out again, much to the satisfaction of his many friends.

The Countess of Shrewsbury and the Countess of Bellick will arrive to night by the Islander from the sound.

A. D. Charlton, general freight and passenger agent of the Northern Pacific, Portland, Or., is a guest at the Driard.

Percy Dickinson, the well-known contractor of Tacoma, is in the city.

H. Bell, of Howe & Bell, the theatrical managers of Portland, arrived from the Sound last night and is stopping at the Driard.

E. E. Olcott, mining and metallurgical engineer of New York, who owns mining interests at Yale, and Mrs. Olcott are registered at the Driard.

Rev. Canon Paddon and family of England arrived in the city last night, having come over on the Beaver line of steamships to Montreal and from there via the C. P. R. to this city. It is probable that the reverend gentleman will locate here.

Mr. Havener, the builder of the splendid tug Lorne, leaves in the morning for California, carrying with him the best wishes of his associates and leaving behind him one of the finest specimens of naval architecture on the coast.

Art Notice.

Porcelain portraits of all sizes enlarged from photos. Have your orders left with George Bigger, 86 Government street. Eight different kinds of work of art.

Brunswick Hotel.

The best place in town to get a 25 cent dinner is the Brunswick Hotel.

Y. M. C. A.

The work of the general secretaries conference was concluded last evening. At 7:30 a grand praise meeting was held, and at 8 the anniversary services of the Victoria Y. M. C. A. were held in the Pandora Street Methodist church. After a praise service by the choir under Mr. J. G. Brown's leadership, the first psalm was read by Rev. C. S. Mason, and the Rev. J. E. Starr offered prayers. Mr. C. W. Beers, of Portland, sang a solo, and the Hon. John Robson, president of the Victoria Association, delivered the opening speech. The annual report of the treasurer, Mr. Watterson, and the general secretary, Mr. F. W. Teague, were read and showed a satisfactory advance in the work during the year. Addresses were afterwards delivered by Rev. Messrs. Starr and Mason, Mr. Meyers, Mr. N. H. Jacks and Mr. H. E. Brown. Mrs. McCready, of New Westminster, sang several charming solos during the evening, which were a treat to all present.

BEACON HILL PARK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

DEAR SIR.—As a citizen of Victoria, and more particularly a resident in the neighborhood of Beacon Hill Park, while like the most of my fellow citizens, I am much interested in the improvements going on there, and fully approve of the laying out of portions in lakes, flower gardens, nice walks, and such like, I am at the same time much surprised to see the wholesale destruction of some of the most beautiful shrubs and trees, which, while their surroundings might be improved never could be replaced by man's hands in such luxuriant beauty. And the carriage road running round the top of the Hill! Surely the council will abandon that folly, and fill it all in again before more injury is done. If not then an injunction of the Supreme Court ought to be applied for to restrain them from going on with what, instead of being a improvement, is absolute ruin to the hill.

W. H. MASON.

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—F Le Roy, H D Fleet and wife, B Holgate and wife, W Fraser, W R Walpole, H A Reynolds, W Macrun, H Stetson, W Peters, G W Hathaway, Holson, A G Ansell and wife, J W Bradford, G Robinson, Mrs Shelton, C B Robinson, N P Bowes, G W Solomon and wife, H W Carr, F Lender, E Miller, G E Bayles, T David, W A Mitchell, J Gilligan, Wm Brown, R C Frost and wife, L B Parrish and wife, Miss Baker, J Bain, P Dickinson, W S Reese, Mrs Huntoon, G L Dingman, H Williams, A O Loomis, J W Howell, T O'Connell, D L Gurney, J Grant, J Atkinson, C A Hanson and wife, E J Smith, D U Tuck, S C Harpisty, M Levy, J A Campbell, E A Morgan, T Miller, W Howell, J W Falls, Miss Banks, F Martin, F Bostlofsky and wife, C L Fay and wife, J H Vandora and wife, R Lowe, E Stanley and wife, J H Hungerford, W H Jones, A Arnola, C E Ingalls and wife, C C Ingalls and wife, W C Taggart and wife, P Law, T Orton, J Barber, A Lolkon, E Towers, A Gomez, Miss Rhodes.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—C H Packard, H Ende, C Kurtz, R M Brereton, James McArthur, Alex Matheson, Mrs Matheson, Mrs Rimes, C Claughorne, Dr Jones, P B Lovell, E E Olcott, J B Brown, H P Keefer, L Gleason, W Conley, J Shearer, H F Clinton, Mamie Park, Miss Park, W W Ball, P Verinez, Mrs E E Olcott, Mrs H E Brooke, C E Brooke, H B Everest, Mrs Everest, H Morrison, Mrs M Grinder, Miss M Weber, C C Slater, J W Lawton, W J Boyle, Mrs McCready, Mrs K Springer, J E Gardner, H Hughes sr, Mrs H Hughes, H J Hayes, L B Paddon, Mrs Paddon, Miss Paddon, Miss J Paddon, H Paddon, J C Paddon, W Paddon.

Consignees.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound.—W Rosenthal, T Shotbolt, F W Newman, J C Lenk, T & A Co, D Evans, Mortimer Bros, W R McKenzie, Langley & Co, H Young & Co, Simon Leiser, J C Devlin, Demers & Sons, H Saunders, McQuade & Son, Dept of Marine, J Canning, Allen Iron Works, E T Johnson, Thomas Jenkins, H Mansell, Matthews H & T, A R Johnson, Brunette Saw Mill, A & G, Stand Pub Co, E G Prior & Co, Jas Dunsmuir, E B Scouler, Valo & Brooks, Jay & Co, David Fulton, S J Pitts.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—S J Pitts, Angus & G. McLeod, Lenz & Reiser, Brown & W, H Baker, J H Todd, M W Waitt, Langley & Co, Kurtz & Co, Vic Gas Co, W Y & G Strouss, Kirshberg & L, A Lewis, B Bay Co, A H Gray, F Norris, P M T Co, Nat Elec Tramway, J C Lenk, J Barnsley, J Pim sr, Mrs Bickford, T N Ribbon, T B Pearson, J C Devlin.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TENDERS

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Saturday, 21st, at 12 m. for repairs to the schooner Lily. Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of Morris Moss. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. HEALEY, Captain.

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MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until Wednesday, 25th instant, at 4 p.m., at the office of the undersigned, for blasting rock on Ontario street, between Montreal and St. Lawrence streets; and

For gravelling Third street, from Hillside avenue to Bay street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Victoria, Sept. 19, 1889. sep19

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